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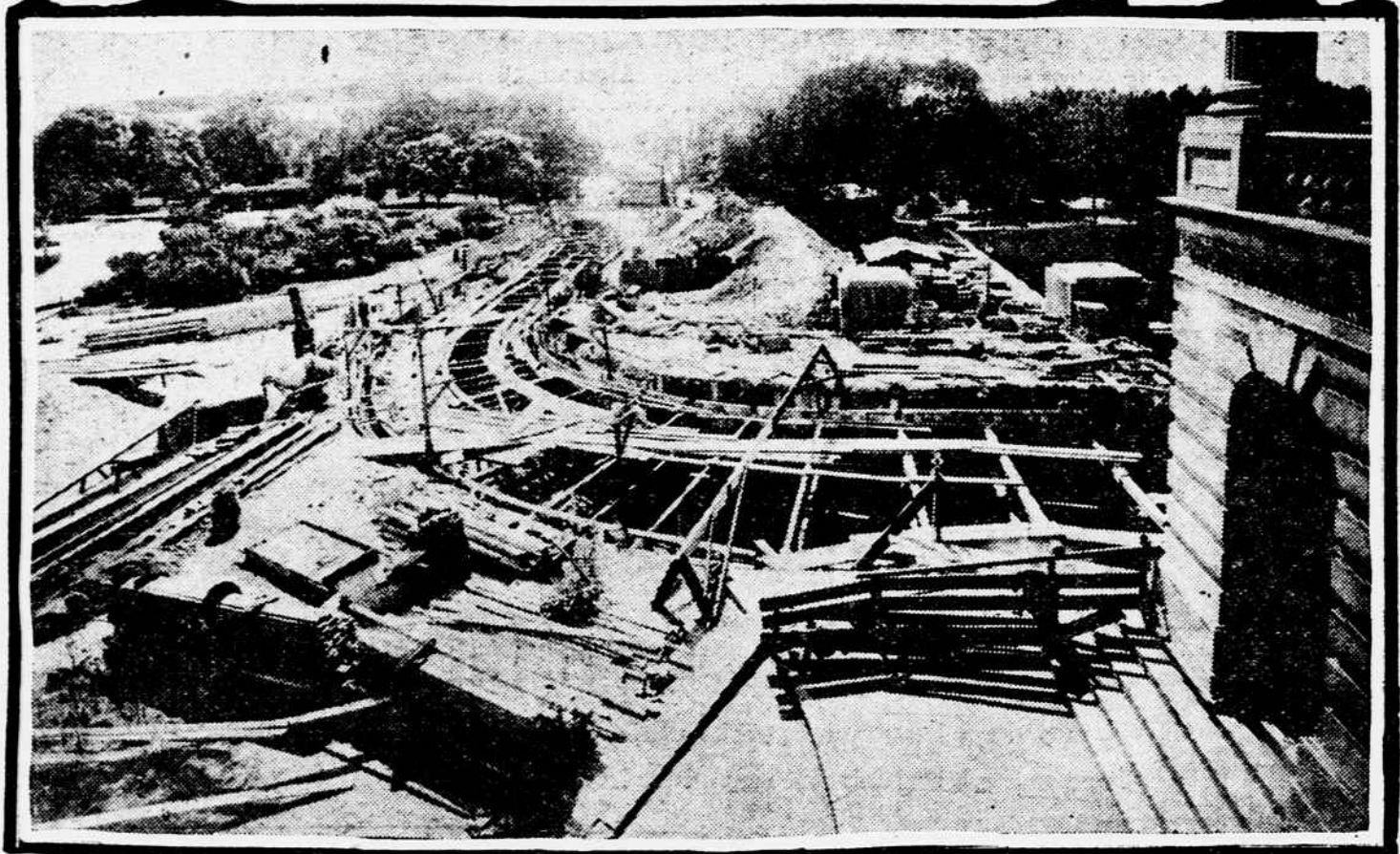
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CAPITOL PLAZA IS A FEARFUL MESS;
WORK GOING ON INSIDE AND OUT

THE SENATE SIDE



THE HOUSE SIDE

There's a fearful mess up around the Capitol just now, as Elliott Woods and a big force of hired men have torn up the plaza and considered additional scenery in order to construct the subway connecting the Capitol with the Senate and House office buildings. The contract for the work calls for its completion—and the restoration of everything above ground to its original state—by the time the real people begin to drift into town for the session. Long rows of arc lights hanging from wire cables over the excavations indicate that the contractor realizes he's got to hump some in order to turn the trick within the limit set. Mr. Woods thinks 'twill be done, however, and to lots of folks this is just the same as if the thing had eventuated.

The subway is to be a dandy. No chances are being taken on some unaccustomed legislator annexing a cold in the head and infecting his coughs and sniffles upon his colleagues. From the inside out the subway will be constructed of a one-inch facing of cement, a fifteen-inch wall of concrete, four layers of water-proofing and then a four-inch wall of hollow terra cotta blocks, set vertically, so as to serve as a series of drains and carry off rain seepage and such. Each subway will be absolutely dry and the greatest sort of care is being given to this feature.

For Those Who Can Walk.

The sidewalk in the subways will be seven feet wide running the full length of the tunnel terminating in platforms in each station. In addition each subway has sufficient room for a narrow-gauge

track on which will be run ordinary trucks to transfer documents, etc., to and from the Capitol. A track for passenger cars may be put in, although this particular feature is in a rather hazy state just now. Anyhow, the sidewalk will permit those members of Congress who retain powers of locomotion to dash back and forth between the Capitol and the office buildings without showing their noses above ground.

Several rather interesting problems have been encountered during the subway construction, such as the deflecting and carrying across the roof of the subway of the thirty-inch high-pressure water main which runs diagonally through the Senate end of the Capitol grounds and serves the residents of Southeast Washington. A number of sewers draining the Capitol grounds have also been encountered.

Just Think of This.

The work on the Capitol is nearing completion. 'Twas unusually heavy this year. The outside of the big dome was gone over with a magnifying glass and painted with some sort of compound that stretches and has a content for weather. Inside, in the Senate wing, the rooms of the committees on interstate commerce, privileges and election claims, conference, post office and post roads and the chambers of the Vice President and sergeant-at-arms were painted and decorated, and at the House end the rooms of the committees on Indian affairs, private land claims and labor received similar treatment. The folding room, document room and other business

quarters around the Capitol also have been

In the Supreme Court everything paintable has been painted, and the robing room has been given special attention. The work certainly should be fine, as it is being done by the artist—the reporter had his name all written down on a slip of paper, but can't find the slip—who restored the Vatican frescoes a couple of years ago.

One of the most important pieces of work done at the Capitol during the summer was the installation of a new and big exhaust fan over the Senate chamber. It is thought this will materially improve the ventilation, particularly on days when something thick and heavy, like brownsville or railroad rates, is under discussion. Hot air has a tendency to ascend all right, but some varieties need assistance. The usual annual repairs to the roof of the building have been made, and so far as anybody knows it doesn't leak. If it does, every body round the building hopes Senator Hale won't happen to be standing under the drippings. He gets real peevish sometimes.

Ball-Bearing Chairs.

The annual housecleaning of the corridors and the 430 rooms for office, committee and storage purposes and the 674 windows, the 530 doorways and the 140 fireplaces has been finished. In the House chamber all of the 400 mahogany desks have been scraped and refinished and the 400 chairs furnished with new ball-bearing castors. These are real novel, and no mistake. They make the chairs run so smoothly that a senator or representative by holding on to the chair and wiggling his legs can glide out of the chamber, down the corridor, make a call on a friend and return without once raising his feet. These chairs fill a long-felt want, and it is thought they will prove extremely popular.

combustion that no one in the ship knew of the fire. Such a thing could not happen today, thanks to the electric detectors which are fitted in every bunker.

Recent Department Decisions.

Among recent decisions of the War Department affecting the army are the following:

The detail of an enlisted man of the regular army to act in the capacity of instructor of the organized militia or as caretaker of property in the hands of the militia is not authorized by law. In successive formations into line, school of the battalion, when the guides are not equipped with bayonets, the line of guides is prolonged by the adjutant or sergeant-major placing himself in the rear of the column and expressing the command "commence firing" of the fire commander and the command of "load" of the chief of detachment, and that the second charge for each gun may be taken from the magazine at the first command "load" of the chief of detachment and one at each successive command "load" of the fire commander. There is no restriction as to the rate of fire in paragraph 81, General Orders, No. 105, War Department, May 11, 1907. It is held that one powder charge for each gun may be taken to the magazine at the first command "load" of the fire commander and the command of "load" of the chief of detachment, and that the second charge for each gun may be taken from the magazine at the first command "load" of the fire commander and the command of "load" of the chief of detachment, and that the second charge for each gun may be taken from the magazine at the first command "load" of the fire commander and the command of "load" of the chief of detachment.

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Parlor Table . . 89c

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AMONG THE CLUBS

The Washington branch of the Theosophical Society held its regular meeting at headquarters, 222 A street southeast, Sunday evening. The meeting was opened by the vice president, Dr. W. W. Baker, who read a selection from "The Light of Asia," after which the secretary, Mrs. S. M. MacDonald, read the proceedings of previous meetings. The first lesson in "Man and His Bodies" was presented by the vice president, giving a comprehensive talk on the cosmic evolution and the formation of the various planes, after which the class took up the study of the physical body of man. Wednesday evening the class in the study of "The Evolution of Consciousness" continued its work. Friday evening the class in the study of "The Bhagavad Gita" met as usual.

The Freon Club held its first regular fall meeting Thursday evening at the home of Freon Harry L. Anderson, 624 L street northwest, every member of the club being present. The president of the club, Dr. W. W. Baker, presided, and in his opening remarks welcomed back the members from their vacations, and expressed the hope that the Freon Club would not only grow in numbers, but also in influence and standing, the position which it now holds being an enviable one, considering the one year of existence. The business of the club was continued until nearly midnight, when Freon Anderson asked for a recess and invited the members to the dining room, where a watermelon feast was enjoyed. Upon conclusion of the feast, business was resumed and the meeting did not adjourn until after midnight. The club accepted the invitation of Mr. and Mrs. R. Phillips to attend a reception given in their honor Thursday, September 10. The members decided to go in a body. The club also passed a resolution of thanks for the reception which was tendered them last Thursday evening by Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Morgan of Southwest Washington.

The Washingtonians after having adjourned over the summer assembled Monday night at the residence of Miss Edith Appleby, 71 K street northeast. Quite an amount of business was transacted, including the election of officers, who are as follows: President, N. Phelps; vice president, Agnes Saxby; secretary, R. T. Bricker; assistant secretary, H. W. Bowman; treasurer, M. J. Willett. The club will give an opening dance about the middle of October in National Rifles Armory.

Miss Jackson of 530 3d street northwest entertained the Sunshin Club at a dainty little social Thursday evening. The parlor

were tastefully decorated with yellow flowers, in which the sunflower, the emblem of the club, predominated. At a late hour refreshments were served. Among those who contributed to the general enjoyment of the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Dana Holland, Miss Lillie Chomewell, Miss W. W. Dr. and Mrs. Reiss, Mrs. S. T. Steers and Mr. Adgate Lipscomb. Others present were Misses Lalla Paxton, Mary Heck, Emma Chesapeake, Miss Lillie Chomewell, Miss B. S. Huyett, Mr. J. H. Moore, Miss B. S. Nabers, Mr. Baniel, Mr. Lewis Beasley, Mr. David McCosh, Miss Laura Huyett, and Mrs. Harmon and Mrs. Fardoe.

Tug Columbia in Service.

The Southern Transportation Company of Philadelphia has recently added the Philadelphia tug Columbia to its fleet employed in towing coal-laden barges from Philadelphia and Baltimore to this city. Alexandria and other ports on Chesapeake bay and its tributaries, and the tug has gone into service. She was chartered to replace the place of the tug Sandow, which was badly damaged by fire in the upper end of Chesapeake bay several weeks ago, and was abandoned. The Columbia is a large vessel, and was built for deep sea towing at Philadelphia in 1890. She is 77 feet long, 18 feet beam and 9 feet deep, and has good speed with a heavy tow behind her. Capt. E. L. Frankendorf, formerly of the tug Fortuna, is in command of the Columbia, and Capt. Oscar Brownell, who was in command of the tug Sandow when she burned, will take command of the Fortuna.

WARNING TO PARENTS.

The Milk Conference appointed by the District Commissioners, in view of the many dangers of raw milk, has recommended the home-pasteurizing of all raw milk by bringing it to the boiling point, then withdrawing it, and keeping it until cooled. The Conference has thereby endorsed the advice given by this Society for a number of years to

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E. DEHLINGER, Secretary.

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